IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE.

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For: PROCESS AND CATALYST FOR DEHYDROGENATING PRIMARY ALCOHOLS TO MAKE CARBOXYLIC ACID SALTS

Examiner: Taylor V. Oh

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REQUEST TO APPLY PREVIOUSLY PAID ISSUE FEE

TO THE COMMISSIONER OF PATENTS AND TRADEMARKS. SIR:

On January 3, 2005, applicant paid the issue fee (\$1,400.00) for this application. At that time, applicant also paid the publication fee (\$300.00).

On January 28, 2005, applicant filed a Petition to Withdraw from Issue, which was granted by the Patent Office on January 31, 2005.

On August 20, 2007, applicants received a new Notice of Allowance and respectfully request that the previously paid issue fee (\$1,400.00) be applied toward the current issue fee (\$1,400).

The Commissioner is authorized to charge any underpayment or credit any overpayment of government fees in this matter to Deposit Account No. 19-1345.

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